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| Laste Patent Application of                                    | ) MAIL STOP AFTER FINAL      |
| Jeremy E. Dahl et al.  | ) Group Art Unit: 1722       |
| Application No.: 10/784,915                                    | Examiner: Robert M. Kunemund |
| Filing Date: February 24, 2004                                 | ) Confirmation No.: 1972     |
| Title: DIAMONDOID-CONTAINING LOW DIELECTRIC CONSTANT MATERIALS | )<br>)<br>)<br>)             |

## AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application. A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.  $\boxtimes$ Terminal Disclaimers and the ☐ \$ 65 ☒ \$ 130 fee per Disclaimer due  $\boxtimes$ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are enclosed. Also enclosed is/are: Small entity status is hereby claimed. Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the \$\Boxed{\Boxes} \$ 395 \$\Boxed{\Boxes} \$ 790 fee due under 37 C.F.R. \ 1.17(e). Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be  $\Box$ entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above. Applicant(s) previously submitted \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ on \_\_ continued examination is requested. Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least , which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE. in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.

| $\boxtimes$ | No additional claim fee is required.                                   |
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|             | An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below: |

|   |                  | AMENDE   | D CLAIMS        |                 |         |         |
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| Total Claims  | 0                | 20   | 0               | x \$ 50 (1202)  | \$      | 0       |
| Independent Claims  | 0                | 3  | 0               | x \$ 200 (1201) |         | 0       |
| ☐ If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$ 360 (1203)          |                  |  |                 | \$              | 0       |         |
| Total Claim Amendment Fee   |                  |  |                 | \$              | 0       |         |
| ☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee |                  |  |                 |                 | 0       |         |
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| $\boxtimes$ | Charge <u>\$ 390.00</u> to credit card for the Terminal Disclaimer fee due. Form PTO-2038 is attached.  |
| $\boxtimes$ | The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. 88 1 16, 1.17 and 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and |

37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted

Respectfully submitted,

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